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Listing of Claims:

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- 1. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension comprising:
- a base section including a baseplate;
- a load beam having a proximal portion and a tip portion;
- a flexure which is lapped and fixed on the load beam and having which has a head section on the a distal end portion thereof; and
- a wiring member located extending along the base section;

wherein the base section having a shape is shaped such that

the a weight thereof is balanced bilaterally with respect to the

an axis of the load beam; [[,]]

wherein a part of the wiring member being is formed having to have a supported portion protruding sideways from the wiring member therefrom, and the supported portion being is fixed to the base section at a rear end portion of the baseplate.

 (Original) A disc drive suspension according to claim 1, wherein the base section is bisymmetrical with respect to the axis of the load beam.

Claim 3 (Canceled).

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- (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 1, wherein the wiring member is comprises a wired flexure having including a metal base and a wiring portion formed on the metal base, and the supported portion is formed on a said part of the wiring member comprises a part of the metal base.
- (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 1, wherein an adhesive agent is provided in at least a part of the a gap between the respective flanks of the wiring member and the base section.
- (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 1, which further comprises comprising a hinge member formed independently of the baseplate and the load beam; [[,]]
- wherein the hinge member connecting connects the baseplate and the load beam and having comprises a pair of hinge portions capable of elastic deformation that are elastically deformable in the a thickness direction thereof provided between the baseplate and the load beam, and the wiring member passing passes through the hinge portions.
- 7. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 6, wherein the supported portion is thinner than the hinge member, and the supported portion is fixed to that rear end

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portion of the baseplate which is not overlapped by the hinge member.

- 8. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 1, wherein the load beam has comprises a pair of hinge portions formed on a part thereof and capable of elastic deformation in the which are elastically deformable in a thickness direction thereof, and the wiring member passing passes through the hinge portions.
 - 9. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension comprising:
 - a base section including a baseplate;
 - a load beam having a proximal portion and a tip portion;
- a flexure which is lapped and fixed on the load beam and having which has a head section on the a distal end portion thereof; and
 - a wiring member located extending which extends along the base section , the wiring member including and includes a metal base formed of a metal plate and a wiring portion formed on the metal base; [[,]]

wherein a part of the metal base being is formed having to have a supported portion protruding toward and fixed to the base section, and a part of the wiring member being is located beside the base section. [[,]]

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15 the supported portion being fixed to the base section.

- 10. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 9, wherein the supported portion is fixed to the \underline{a} rear end portion of the baseplate.
- 11. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 9, wherein the wiring member is comprises a wired flexure having a including the metal base and the wiring portion formed on the metal base, and the supported portion is formed on a part of the metal base.
- 12. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 9, wherein an adhesive agent is provided in at least a part of the <u>a</u> gap between the respective flanks of the wiring member and the baseplate.
- 13. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 9, which further comprises comprising a hinge member formed independently of the baseplate and the load beam; [[,]]

wherein the hinge member connecting connects the baseplate and the load beam and having comprises a pair of hinge portions capable of elastic deformation that are elastically deformable in the a thickness direction thereof provided between the baseplate

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and the load beam, <u>and</u> the wiring member <u>passing passes</u> through the hinge portions.

- 14. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 13, wherein the supported portion is thinner than the hinge member, and the supported portion is fixed to that an end portion of the baseplate which is not overlapped by the hinge member.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A disc drive suspension according to claim 9, wherein the load beam has comprises a pair of hinge portions formed on a part thereof and capable of elastic deformation in the which are elastically deformable in a thickness direction thereof, and the wiring member passing passes through the hinge portions.